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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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Part B for June 16

SUBJECT.

Amendment of the Rules for the asking of questions in the Legis Council and the preparation of answers

1) To the Compiler, Mysore Gazette
J 4846 of 13/6/16.
Notifies the amendment of Rules as to interpellations in the Legis Council & of the rules for the preparation & submission of answers and questions

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Amendment of the Rules for the asking of questions in the Legis. Cl. and the preparation of answers.

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

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1)

Now that the no. of questions will be raised to 20 the rules may be revised slightly:—

(i) Secretaries may draft replies in consultation with Heads of Depts & Dy Comm^rs where ever necessary:

(ii) The draft replies to be submitted to the Gen. Leg for consideration and for submission to the members of Govt with necessary alterations for orders:.

(iii) 10 days 'clear notice' to be altered to 20 days' clear notice:.

Please put up a draft of revised rules

Sd/-

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Note on the Interpellations

2)

The questions whether the answers to all the interpellations received can not be submitted along with the interpellations at the time of their Selection the interpellations to be Selected are only 12 in number. Sometimes twice or thrice that number are received. The labour involved in the preparation and Scrutiny of the answers to the questions other than the Selected twelve will become Superfluous Further, there is another step adopting the above Sug.

under the existing practice,
the answers are not edited
and approved the adays or two
before the date of the meeting,
and there is no chance for
anyone knowing it before-
-hand. If answers are also
approved at the time the
questions are selected, there will
be the risk of answers leaking
~~known to~~ out of the office.

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3) A draft Notification amending the rule regarding the time within which the questions have to be sent is submitted for approval.

4) A draft ~~copy~~ of the Office Memorandum revised amending the instructions given above is also submitted for approval

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5) Please put up another copy neatly corrected in red ink, as revised by me

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6) Submitted for approval

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7) What is the period of notice required in Madras?

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8) The period prescribed in Madras is at least ten clear days. The President may in any case require longer notice.

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9) First Member)

I am quite against lengthening the period of notice for a very much larger number of Qns, 10 days is ~~enough~~ another elsewhere, why should more be required here

The other alterations proposed seem to be all right.

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10) Place before the Hon'ble

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11) Please bring up before Council informally tomorrow

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Extract from the Proceedings of the ....384th.... Meeting of the Council of His Highness the Maharaja, held at ....Bangalore.... on the ....20th.... May 19 16

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8. SUBJECT.-(Outside the Schedule)

Amendment of rules as to interpellations in the Legislative Council.

OPINION OF THE COUNCIL.

(4) Twelve clear days' notice may be prescribed. The other amendments may be approved.

(Sd.) M.Visvesvaraya,
DEWAN OF MYSORE.

"Extract"

D.M. Narasimha Rao 23/-

Secretary to Government,
General Department.

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(6)

Final Note by the Second Member of Council.

Subject:—

Amendment of rules as to interpellations in the Legislative Council and of the Rules for the preparation and submission of answers to questions.

(4) Rule 10 of the Rules for the asking of questions in the Legislative Council, published with Notification No.J.2291-Legis. 20-13-1 dated 12th February 1914, was amended by Notification No.J.2439-Legis.48-14-1 dated 18th December 1915 so as to allow of 20 questions being asked at every meeting of the Legislative Council instead of only 12. This has resulted in more work being thrown upon the Secretariats in preparing the draft answers to the questions, and also on the Council in scrutinizing and approving the answers.

2. (5) Moreover, under the procedure laid down for the preparation of answers in Official Memorandum No.J.2806-16-Legis.43-13-1 dated 30th March 1914, the questions are required to be sent to the Secretariats and Branches concerned only after a selection is made, and the Secretariats and Branches have to frame draft answers and get them approved by the Members of Council concerned. This procedure is found by experience to be somewhat difficult to follow for want of sufficient time.

3. (6) It was therefore proposed to increase the period of notice required for asking questions from 10 to 20 days, and also to modify the official memorandum of the 30th March 1914 so as to allow of the questions being sent to the several Secretariats and Branches concerned as soon as they are received and the draft answers framed by the Secretaries ~~to be~~ sent to the Secretary

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Legislative Department for consolidation and submission to the Members of Government for orders.

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4. (17) The then First Member Mr. H.V. Nanjundayya was opposed to increasing the period of notice from 10 to 20 days, but was agreeable to the other changes proposed.

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5. (18) The matter has since been discussed in Council. It is considered that 12 clear days' notice may be prescribed and that the other amendments may be approved.

6. (19) His Highness's gracious sanction for raising the period of notice is required.

M. Chandrasekhara

Second Member of Council.

31st May 1916.

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Submitted to His Highness.

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20) I submit herewith a 'Final Note' by the Second Member of Council on the subject of amendment of the rules as to interpellations in the Legislative Council and of the rules for the preparation and submission of answers to questions.

×Para 4 of office note.

21) 2. The recommendations of the Council therein contained may be graciously approved.

M. Vijiaraghava

6th June 1916.

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Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja

Subject.

Amendment of rules as to interpellations in the Legislative Council and of the rules for the preparation and submission of answers and questions.

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Legis 247-15-1

Notification No. J 4846
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In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 12 A of the Mysore Legislative Council Regulation, 1907, His Government of His Highness the Maharaja are pleased to amend as follows the rules for the discussion of the Budget and the asking of questions in the Legislative Council issued under Government Notification No J 2291-Legis-20.13-1 dt 12th Feb 1914:—

Sd by Secrs. K. Madhava Rao
C. Srinivasa Iyer

1. In Rules 9, and 12, substitute for the words "ten days" the words "twenty days".

2. In Rule 10, substitute for the words "12 questions" the words "20 questions".

By order &c
Sd/- K. Madhava Rao
Secy to Govt

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"In Rules 9 and 12, substitute the words 'twelve clear days' for the words 'ten days'."

By Order,

D. M. NARASINGA RAO,
Secretary to Government,
General Department.

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No. J 4847-58/Legis 47-15-2 GOVERNMENT OF H. H. THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE,
J. 2806-16
No. LEGIS. 43-13-1 GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT,
dt 13.6.1916 ~~Dated 30th March 1914.~~

OFFICE MEMORANDUM.

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The following instructions regarding the preparation in the Secretariats of answers to interpellations by non-official members of the Legislative Council under the rules published under Notification No. J. 2291—Legis. 20-13-1, dated 12th February 1914, are issued for information and guidance :—

(1) All questions received from non-official members of the Legislative Council will, in the first instance, be received by the Secretary to the Legislative Council.

(2) One copy of the questions will be sent to each Member of His Highness' Council as soon as they are received.

(3) As soon as the period prescribed by the rules for the receipt of such questions is over, the Secretary to the Legislative Council will forward the questions received to the Secretary to Government, Legislative Department, who will select ~~12~~ 20 questions out of the total number received and send them up for orders of the Dewan through the ~~First Member of Council~~ Member in charge of Legislation as they are received

(4) The questions ~~selected by the Dewan~~ will ~~at once~~ be forwarded to the Branches of the General and Revenue or other Secretariat concerned, for framing replies to be given at the meeting of Legislative Council.

(5) The Administrative Branch of the Secretariat concerned will deal with the matter as "Immediate" and submit the question with the necessary references to the ~~Member of His Highness' Council~~ in charge of the Department concerned for orders in regard to the form and substance of the reply to be given. ~~In regard to the Departments under the control of the Dewan the replies may be framed by the Secretary to Government in that Department.~~ Secretary The Secretaries will draft the replies after consulting if necessary the Heads of Depts & Commissioners.

(6) In case information regarding any question is not readily available and cannot be obtained before the date fixed for the meeting, the Administrative Branch of the Secretariat concerned will decide whether it is necessary to call for a report from the Head of the Department to which the question relates. The fact whether a report is called for or not should be mentioned.

(7) Draft replies to the questions selected will be sent by the Branches or Secretariats concerned to the Secretary to Government, Legislative Department, who will submit the draft replies to the Dewan. Members of Council and the

(8) Care should be taken to see that the proposed replies are submitted to the Dewan as early as possible. Ordinarily at least three days' time is necessary.

(9) After orders of the Dewan are obtained regarding the replies and the names of members who are to announce them in the Council, the questions should be sent to the Secretary to the Legislative Council for further action, not less than two days before the day fixed for the meeting of the Council.

By Order,
~~K. R. SRINIVASIENGAR~~,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To 5 All Branches of the General and Revenue Secretariat.
4 The Secretary to Government, Education and Agricultural Departments.
1 The Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.
2 The Secretary to Government for Railways.
3 The Secretary to Government, ~~Geological~~ Department. Revenue

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GOVERNMENT OF H. H. THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

No. J. 4847-58 / LEGIS. 47-15-2 GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT,

Dated Bangalore, the 13th June 1916.

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(4) The questions will, as they are received, be forwarded to the Branches of the General and Revenue or other Secretariat, concerned, for framing replies to be given at the meeting of Legislative Council.

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By Order,

D. M. NARASINGA RAO,

Secy. to Govt., Gen. Dept.

To—The Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.
The Secretary to Government for Railways.
The Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
The Secretary to Government, Education and Agricultural Departments.
All Branches of the General and Revenue Secretariat.

Exd.— C. R.

Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

G. O. No. J. 4847-58—Legis. 47-15-2, dated 13th June 1916

Answers to Interpellations.

Revised instructions regarding the preparation in the Secretariats of — by the non-official members of the Legislative Council.

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